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Select Story.

BRET HARTE'S LATEST.

TWO SAINTS OF THE FOOT-HILLS.

It never was clearly ascertained how long they had been there. The first settler of Rough-and-Ready—one Low, playfully known to his familiars as "The Poor Indian"—declared that the saints were afore his time and occupied a cabin in the North Fork. It is certain that the two were present when the water was first turned on the Union Ditch, and then and there received the designation of Daddy Downey and Mammy Downey, which they kept to the last. As they tottered toward the refreshment tent, they were welcomed with the greatest enthusiasm by the boys; or, to borrow the more refined language of the "Union Recorder,"—"Their gray hairs and bent figures, recalling as they did, the happy paternal eastern homes of the spectators, and the blessings that fell from venerable lips when they left those homes to journey in quest of the Golden Fleece on Occidental Slopes, caused many to burst into tears." The nearer facts that many of these spectators were orphans, that a few were unable to establish any legal parentage whatever, that others had enjoyed a State's guardianship and discipline, and that a majority had left their paternal roofs without any embarrassing preliminary formula, were mere passing clouds that did not dim the golden imagery of the writer. From that day the Saints were adopted as historical lay figures, and entered at once into possession of uninterrupted gratuities and endowment.

It was not strange that, in a country largely made up of ambitious and reckless youth, these two—types of conservative and settled forms—should be thus celebrated. Apart from any sentiment or veneration, they were admirable foils to the community's youthful progress and energy. They were put forward at every social gathering, occupied prominent seats on the platform at every public meeting, walked first in every procession, were conspicuous at the frequent funeral and rarer wedding, and were godfather and god-mother to the first baby born in Rough-and-Ready. At the first poll opened in that precinct, Daddy Downey cast the first vote, and, as was his custom, on all momentous occasions, became volubly reminiscent. "The first vote I ever cast," said Daddy, "was for Andrew Jackson; the father o' some on you peart young chaps wasn't born then, he! he!—that was 'way long in '33, wasn't it? I disremember now but if Mammy was here, she bein' a schoolgal at the time, she could say. But my memory's failin' me. I'm an old man, boys; yet I likes to see the young ones go ahead. I reckelect that thar vote from a suckumstance. Squire Adams was present, and seen it was my first vote, he put a good piece into my hand, and, sez he, sez Squire Adams, 'let that always be a reminder of the exercise of a glorious freeman's privilege!' He did; he! he! Lord, boys! I feel so proud of ye, that I wish I had a hundred votes to cast for ye all."

It is hardly necessary to say that the memorial tribute of Squire Adams was increased tenfold by the judges, inspectors and clerks, and that the old man tottered back to Mammy considerably heavier than he came. As both of the rival candidates were equally sure of his vote, and each had called upon him and offered a conveyance, it is but fair to presume they were equally beneficent. But Daddy insisted upon walking to the poll's—a distance of two miles—as a moral example, and a text for the California paragraphers, who hastened to record that such was the influence of the foot-hill climate, that "a citizen of Rough-and-Ready, aged eighty-four, rose at six o'clock, and, after milking two cows, walked a distance of twelve miles to the polls, and returned in time to chop a cord of wood before dinner." Slightly exaggerated as this statement may have been the fact that Daddy was always found by the visitor to be engaged at his wood-pile, which seemed neither to increase nor diminish under his ax—a fact, doubtless, owing to the activity of Mammy, who was always at the same time making pies, seemed to give some credence to the story. Indeed, the wood-pile of Daddy Downey was a standing reproof to the indolent and sluggish miner.

"Ole Daddy must use up a pow'ful sight of wood; every time I've passed by his shanty he's been makin' the chips fly. But what gets me is, that the pile don't seem to come down," said Whisky Dick to his neighbor.

"Well, you derned fool!" growled his neighbor; "spose some chap happens to pass by thar, and sees the ole man doin' a man's work at eighty, and slouches like you and me lying round drunk, and that chap, feelin' humped, goes up some dark night and heaves a load of cut pine over his fence, who's got anything to say about it? Say?" Certainly not the speaker, who had done the act suggested, nor the penitent and remorseful hearer, who repeated it next day.

The pies and cakes made by the old woman were, I think, remarkable rather for their inducing the same loyal and generous spirit than for their intrinsic excellence, and it may be said appealed more strongly to the nobler aspirations of humanity than its vulgar appetite. Howbeit, everybody ate Mammy Downey's pies, and thought of his childhood. "Take 'em, dear boys," the old lady would say; "it does me good to see you eat 'em; reminds me kinder of my poor Sammy, that, ef he'd lived, would hev been ez strong and big ez you be, but was taken down with lung fever, at Sweetwater. I kin see him yet; that's forty year ago, dear! comin' out o' the lot to the bake-house, and smilin' such a beautiful smile, like yours, dear boy, as I handed him a mince or a lemming turnover. Dear, dear, how I do run on! and those days is past! but I seems to live in em again!" The wife of the hotel-keeper, actuated by a low jealousy, had suggested that she "seemed to live off them, but as that person tried to demonstrate the truth of her statement by reference to the cost of the raw material used by the old lady, it was considered by the camp too practical and economical for consideration. "Besides," added Cy Perkins, "ef old Mammy wants to turn an honest penny in her old age, let her do it. How would you like your old mother to make pies on grub wages? eh?" A suggestion that so affected his hearer (who had no mother) that he bought three on the spot. The quality of these pies had never been discussed but once. It is related that a young lawyer from San Francisco, dining at the Palmetto resturant pushed away one of Mammy Downey's pies with every expression of disgust and dissatisfaction. At this juncture Whisky Dick, considerably affected by his favorite stimulant, approached the stranger's table, and, drawing up a chair, sat uninvited before him.

"Mebbee, young man," he began gravely, "ye don't like Mammy Downey's pies?"

The stranger replied curtley, and in some astonishment, that he did not as a rule, "eat pie."

"Young man," continued Dick, with drunken gravity, "mebbee you're accustomed to Charlott rusks and blue mange; mebbee ye can't eat unless your grub is got up by one o' them French cooks? Yet we—us boys yar in this camp—calls that pie—a good—com-pe-tent pie!"

The stranger again disclaimed anything but a general dislike of that form of pastry.

"Young man," continued Dick, utterly unheeding the explanation,—"young man, mebbee you onct had an ole—a very ole mother, who, tettering down the vale o' years, made pies. Mebbee, and it's like your blank epicurean soul, ye turned back on the pies, and on her! She that dandled ye when ye woz a baby,—a little baby! Mebbee ye went back on her, and shook her and played off on her, and gave her away—dead away! And now, mebbee, young man I wouldn't hurt ye for the word, but mebbee, afore ye leave this yar table, ye'll eat that pie!"

The stranger rose to his feet, but the muzzle of a dragoon revolver in the unsteady hands of Whisky Dick, caused him to sit down again. He ate the pie, and lost his case likewise, before a Rough-and-Ready jury.

Indeed, far from exhibiting the cynical doubts and distrusts of age, Daddy Downey received always with child-like delight the progress of modern improvement and energy. "In my day, long back in the twenties, it took us nigh a week—a week, boys,—to get up a barn, and all the young ones I was one then—for miles 'round at the raisin'; and yer's you boys—rascals ye are, too—runs up this yer shanty for Mammy 'and me 'twixt sun up and dark! Eh, eh, your're teaching the old folks new tricks, are ye? Ah, get along you!" and in playful simulation of auger he would shake his white hair and his hickory staff at the "rascals." The only indication of the conservative tendencies of age was visible in his continual protest against the extravagance of the boys. "Why," he would say, "a family, a hull family,—leav'n alone me and the old woman,—might be supported on what you young rascals throw away in a single spree. Ah, young dogs, didn't I hear about your scattering half-dollars on the stage the other night when that Eyetalian Papist was singin.' And that money goes out of Amerikv—ivry cent!"

There was little doubt that the old couple were saving, if not avaricious. But when it was known through the indiscreet volubility of Mammy Downey, that Pappy Downey sent the bulk of their savings, gratuities and gifts to a dissipated and prodigal son in the East—whose photograph the old man always carried with him—it rather elevated him in their regard. "When ye write to that gay and festive son o' yourn, Daddy," said Joe Robinson, "send him this specimen. Give him my compliments, and tell him, if he kin spend money faster than I can, I call him! Tell him, ef he wants a first class jamboree, to kem out here, and and me and the boys will show him what a square drunk is!" In vain would the old man continue to protest against the spirit of the gift; the miner generally returned with his pockets that much lighter, and it is not improbable a little less intoxicated than he otherwise might have been. It may be premised that Daddy Downey was strictly temperate. The only way he managed to avoid hurting the feelings of the camp was by accepting the frequent donations of whisky to be used for the purpose of liniment.

"Next to snake oil, my son," he would say, "and dilberry—and ye don't seem to produce 'em hereabouts—whisky is good for rubbin' onto old bones to make 'em limber. But pure cold water, "sparklin" and bright in its liquid light," and, so to speak, reflectin' of God's own linyments on its surfiss, is the best, onless, like poor ol' Mammy and me, ye gits the dumb agur from overuse."

The fame of the Downey couple was not confined to the foot-hills. The Rev. Henry Gushington, D. D., of Boston, making a bronchial tour of California, wrote to the *Christian Pathfinder* an affecting account of his visit to them, placed Daddy Downey's age at 102, and attributed the recent conversions in Rough-and-Ready to their influence. That gifted literary Hessian, Bill Smith, traveling in the interests of various capitalists, and the trustworthy correspondent of four only independent American Journals," quoted him as an evidence of the longevity superinduced by the climate, offered him as an example of the security of helpless life and property in the mountains, used him as an advertisement of the Union Ditch, and, it is said, in some vague way cited him as proving the collateral facts of a timber and ore-producing region existing in the foot-hills worthy the attention of Eastern capitalists.

Praised thus by the lips of distinguished report, fostered by the care and sustained by the pecuniary offerings of their fellow-citizens, the Saints led for two years a peaceful life of gentle absorption. To relieve them from the embarassing appearance of elemosynary receipts,—an embarrassment felt more by the givers than the recipients, the Postmastership of Rough-and-Ready was procured for Daddy, and the duty of receiving and delivering the United States mails performed by him, with the advice and assistance of the boys. If a few letters went astray at this time, it was easily attributed to this undisciplined aid, and the boys themselves were always ready to make up the value of a missing money-letter and "keep the old man's accounts square." To these functions presently were added the treasurerships of the Masons' and Odd Fellows' charitable funds,—the old man being far advanced in their respective degrees,—and even the almoner of their bounties was superadded. Here, unfortunately, Daddy's habits of economy and avrricious propensity came near making him unpopular, and very often needy brothers were forced to object to the quantity and quality of the help extended. They always met with more generous relief from the private hands of the brothers themselves, and the remark "that the ol' man was trying to set an example,—that he meant well,"—and that they would yet be thankful for his zealous care and economy. A few, I think, suffered in noble silence, rather than bring the old man's infirmity to public notice.

And so with this honor of Daddy and Mammy the days of the miners were long and profitable in the land of the foot-hills. The mines yielded their abundance, the winters were singularly open, and yet there was no drouth nor lack of water, and peace and plenty smiled on the Sirrean foot hills, from their highest sunny upland to the trailing *falda* of wild oats and poppies. If a certain superstition got abroad among the other camps, connecting the fortunes of Rough-and-Ready with Daddy and Mammy it was a gentle, harmless fancy, and was not, I think, altogether rejected by the old people. A certain large, patriarchal, bountiful manner, of late visible in Daddy, and the increase of much white hair and beard, kept up the poetic illusion, while Mammy, day by day, grew more like somebody's fairy godmother. An attempt was made by a rival camp to emulate these paying virtues of reverence, and an aged mariner was procured from the Sailor's Snug Harbor in San Francisco, on trial. But the unfortunate seaman was more or less diseased, was not always presentable, through a weakness for ardent spirits, and finally, to use the powerful idiom of one of his disappointed foster-children, "up and died in a week, without sluging ary blessin'."

But the vicissitude reaches old and young alike. Youthful Rough-and-Ready and the Saints had climbed to their meridian together, and it seemed fit that they should together decline. The first shadow fell with the immigration to Rough-and-Ready of a second aged pair. The landlady of the Independence Hotel had not abated her malevolence toward the Saints, and had imported at considerable expense her grand-aunt and grand-uncle, who had been enjoying for some years a sequestered retirement in the poor house of East Machias. They were indeed very old. By what miracle, even as anatomical specimens, they had been preserved during their long journey was a mystery to the camp. In some respects they had superior memories and reminiscences. The old man—Abner Trix—had shouldered a musket in the war of 1812; his wife, Abigail, had seen Lady Washington. She could sing hymns; he knew every text between "the leds" of a Bible. There is little doubt that in many respects, to the superficial and giddy crowd of youthful spectators, they were the more interesting spectacle.

Whether it was jealousy, distrust or timidity that overcame the Saints, was never known, but they studiously declined to meet the strangers. When directly approached upon the subject, Daddy Downey pleaded illness, kept himself in close seclusion, and the Sunday that the Trixes attended church in the school-house on the hill, the triumph of the Trix party was mitigated by the fact that the Downeys were not in their accustomed pew. "You bet that Daddy and Mammy is lying low jest to ketch them old mummies yet," explained a Downeyite. For by this time schism and division had crept into the camp; the younger and later members adhering to the Trixes, while the older pioneers stood not only loyal to their old favorites, but even, in the true spirit of partisanship, began to seek for a principle underlying their personal feelings. "I tell ye what, boys," observed Sweetwater Joe "if this yer camp is goin' to be run by greenhorns, and old pioneers, like Daddy and the rest of us, must take back seats, it's time we emigrated and shoved out, and tuk Daddy with us. Why, they're talkin of rotation in offis and of putting that skeleton that Ma'am Decker sets up at the table to take her boarders' appetite away—into the postoffice in place o' Daddy." And, indeed, there were some fears of such a conclusion; the newer men of Rough-and-Ready were in the majority, and wielded a more than equal influence of wealth and outside enterprise. "Frisco," as a Downeyite bitterly remarked, 'already owned half the town.' The old friends that rallied around Daddy and Mammy were, like most loyal friends in adversity, in bad case themselves, and were beginning to look and act it was observed, not unlike their old favorites.

At this juncture Mammy died.

The sudden blow for a few days seemed to reunite dissevered Rough-and-Ready. Both factions hastened to the bereaved Daddy with condolements, and offers of aid and assistance. But the old man received them sternly. A change had come over the weak and yielding octogenarian. Those who expected to find him maudlin, helpless, disconsolate, shrank from the cold hard eyes and truculent voice that bade them 'begone' and 'leave him with his dead.' Even his old friends failed to make him respond to their sympathy, and were fain to content themselves with his cold intimation that both the wishes of his dead wife and his own instincts were against any display, or the reception of any favor from the camp that might tend to keep up the divisions they had innocently created. The refusal of Daddy to accept any service offered was so unlike him as to have but one dreadful meaning! The sudden shock had turned his brain! Yet so impressed were they with his resolution that they permitted him to perform the last sad office himself, and only a select few of his nearer neighbors assisted him in carrying the plain deal coffin from his lonely cabin in the woods to the still lonelier cemetery on the hill-top. When the shallow grave was filled, he dismissed even these curtly, shut himself up in his cabin and for days remained unseen. It was evident that he was no longer in his right mind.

His harmless aberration was accepted and treated with a degree of intelligent delicacy hardly to be believed of so rough a community. During his wife's sudden and severe illness, the safe containing the funds intrusted to his care by the various benevolent societies was broken into and robbed, and although the act was clearly attributable to his carelessness and pre-occupation, an allusion to the fact was withheld from him in his severe affliction. When he appeared again before the camp, and the circumstances were considerately explained to him with the remark 'that the boys had made it all right,' the vacant, hopeless, unintelligent eye that he turned upon the speaker showed too plainly that he had forgotten all about it. 'Don't trouble the old man,' said Whisky Dick, with a burst of honest poetry. 'Don't ye see his memory's dead, and lying there in the coffin with Mammy.' Perhaps the speaker was nearer right than he imagined.

Failing in religious consolation, they took various means of diverting his mind with worldly amusements, and one was a visit to a traveling variety troupe, then performing in the town. The result of the visit was briefly told by Dick. 'Well, sir, we went in, and I sot the old man down in a front seat, and kinder propped him up with some other of the fellers around him, and there he sot ez silent and awful ez the grave. And then that fancy dancer, Miss Grace Somerset, comes in, and dern my skin, if the old man didn't git to trembling and fidgeting all over as she cut them pidgin wings. I tell ye what, boys, men is men, way down to their boots—whether they're crazy or not! Well, he took on so—that I'm blamed if at last that gal *herself* didn't notice him!—and she ups suddenly and blows him a kiss—so! with her fingers!'

Whether this narration were exaggerated or not, it is certain that old man Downey every succeeding night of the performance was a spectator. That he may have aspired to be more than that was suggested a day or two later in the following incident. A number of the boys were sitting around the stove in the Magnolia saloon, listening to the onset of a winter storm against the windows, when Whisky Dick, tremulous, excited and bristling with rain drops and information, broke in upon them.

'Well, boys, I've just got the biggest thing out. Ef I hadn't seed it myself, I wouldn't hev believed it!'

'It ain't the ghost ag-in?" growled Rob

The Columbian.

BROCKWAY & ELWELL, Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, April 19th, 1878.

HESTER'S LAST LETTER.

The following letter, addressed to Patrick Tully and Peter McHugh, was written by Patrick Hester, two days before his execution.

My Dear Friends: I write these few lines to both of you. I suppose it is about my last writing on this earth, as I believe our time in this world is short, and may God prepare us for the next and better world. This I want our father confessor to read to both of you, in regard to our present situation, and in regard to what I am convicted of. In the first place, Kelly swore that he and us met at Barney Dolan's, and went from there to Ashland with him. Next Morris Morrison swore that he saw you in company with Kelly and others on the morning after Donahue was taken, going to my house. This also you know is a lie. Next Harris swears he saw me with a number of others at the toll gate on the morning of Rea's death. This also is a lie, and both of you know it to be a lie; and in fact every other one that swore against me at the February Court swore false.

This I will send with our father confessor to read to both of you. No one knows anything about this but the man that does know and should know all about this affair. The reason I write this is to let you know that before I die I will relate these facts and the false perjury that has been sworn against me. I do declare and will declare that I am not guilty of the murder of A. W. Rea, that I never got up that job or plot that has been sworn against me and that both of you know. I write this to let you know what I intend to do and will do, but at the same time, I will say nothing to hurt any of your feelings. This is one thing that I do ask and request of both of you, as I believe and know that both of you can say I am not guilty of the death of Rea, and that with a clear conscience, not that I beg any favors of you, only what is honest and true before God, and may God do what is right, that is if you want to do what is just and right, yet you are free as to that part, to do what is right, and may God direct every one to do what is right, and may God forgive them that is the cause of my being here. What I feel most sorry about is my poor family to be left desolate, poor and forlorn, and I might say homeless, all by this means, and all that was done was done for you as well as me. There was nothing spared or left undone that could benefit either you or me, and it was done and not grudged. And as for death, I am not afraid, for I am almost tired of this sinful world, for they are after my life these good many years. All that troubles me about dying is to die of what I am not guilty of, and that both of you know, and may God in His mercy do what is just and right to all. From the first day up to this present day the whole weight and abuse is thrown on top of my back, through the public press and also through the community.

Please give the answer on the return of this, and if I have said anything in this that is not true, please state it also. No more at present, and God have mercy on our souls.

PATRICK HESTER.

SATURDAY, March 23, 1878.

As stated in these columns two weeks ago, Hester and McHugh both admitted their guilt on Sunday, the day before the execution. The above letter was written before Hester knew that Tully had confessed. The following is a sequel to the whole matter.

Rev Father Koch, of St. Edward's Roman Catholic Church, Shamokin, on Sunday told his congregation that Hester, Tully and McHugh were all guilty of the murder of Rea; that they! all, admitted their guilt to him before the execution, and that the letter written by Hester and published in the papers should never have been published and he advised Mrs. Hester so; that the letter was written for the express purpose of influencing Tully and McHugh to assert Hester's innocence on the scaffold, and that Hester himself never intended having the letter published. Some persons, he said, had intimated that he had gone to Bloomsburg to use his influence on Tully and McHugh, and try to persuade them to assert Hester's innocence. He declared this to be untrue, as he went there for no such purpose, and if Tully and McHugh had done so they would have died with perjury on their lips.

The Valley Forge Centennial.

THE ORDER OF EXERCISES—WHO ARE TO BE INVITED.

The Committee appointed by the Valley Forge Centennial Association to arrange a programme of exercises for the celebration on June 19th, met on the 22d, in Norristown. It was decided to commence the rejoicing at day-light by sounding the reveile and firing a gun, to be followed at sunrise by a Federal salute. At 9 o'clock the troops will form a hollow square, and, with arms reversed and colors dropped, remain in that position during appropriate religious services, which will conclude with prayers for the dead, a dirge by the band and the pronouncing of a benediction.

At noon a national salute will be fired, and immediately afterward the citizens and military will assemble at the grand stand, where the exercises will be as follows: Singing of an original ode by a large choir; reading of an original poem; instrumental music; delivery of an historical address by Col. Theodore W. Bean, of Norristown; music; delivery of an oration by Henry Armitt Brown, Esq., and singing by the choir of Keller's American Hymn. At 3 P. M. the exercises of the day will be concluded by a military review.

The committee also decided to invite the following named individuals and organizations to be present as the guests of the Association and participate in the celebration, President and Mrs. Hayes, members of the Cabinet, General Hancock and all other Pennsylvanians who hold commissions in the army or navy, officers and cadets at West Point, officers and cadets of the Naval Academy. Chief Justice Waite and other members of the Supreme Court, Vice President Wheeler and a committee of the Senate, Speaker Randall and a committee of the House, United States officers doing service in Pennsylvania, Governor Hartranft, Attorney General Lear, Secretary of the State Quay, Auditor General, State Treasurer Secretary of Internal Affairs, Chief Justice Agnew and his colleagues on the Supreme Bench, Lieutenant Governor Latta and the State Senate; Speaker Meyer and members of the House, soldiers orphans, cadets and students of Girard College. Pennsylvania Military Academy, Jefferson Medical College and other prominent educational institutions Grand Army of the Republic, State Guard numerous civic societies, municipal officers of Montgomery, Philadelphia and Chester counties, Ancient and Honorable Artillery of Boston, Seventh Regiment of New York, Fifth Regiment of Maryland, Norfolk Blues, Society of the Cincinnati, Aztec Club, and Veteran Association of the Mexican War.

Hon. Wayne MacVeagh and Charles Pennypacker, Esq., were added to the General Committee, and the sub-committee recently appointed to wait upon the President and extend him an invitation to be present at the celebration were authorized to attend to that duty during the President's proposed visit to Philadelphia.

Fearful Disaster.

SLATINGTON, Pa., April 5.—This morning this place was the scene of a railroad collision, which has ended in loss of life. When the freight train, which left Mauch Chunk at 4 o'clock this morning, reached here, the engineer stopped to cool a hot journal. Instead of side-tracking, he remained on the regular line, and in a few minutes a mixed train, composed of four freight and forty oil tank cars, dashed into the rear of the first train. The force of the collision threw several cars from the track, and some of these, toppling over on the Lehigh Valley Railroad bridge, broke through the latter, making it a total wreck. The collision also exploded the boiler of the engine of the latter train, and this set fire to the oil cars. As quickly as possible some twenty of the latter, which, although not burning, were threatened by the flames, were uncoupled and pushed back by the frightened citizens, who were now alarmed for the safety of their town. The flames, however, communicated to Brown & Williams' machine shop and foundry, and also to the Lehigh Valley depot. The latter was saved, but the former was totally destroyed, involving a loss of about $30,000. During the progress of the fire an oil tank exploded, killing one man and severely burning about a dozen more. Jacob Hummell and his wife, who live in a house some distance from the depot, made a very narrow escape. A portion of the boiler of the exploding engine crushed through the roof, struck the bed in which they were sleeping, but, fortunately, not injuring them in the least.

LATER.

The explosion of the oil tank was caused by an attempt to empty it from below. When about half the oil had been drawn off the flames rushed in and created the explosion. The high winds that prevailed in the morning at one time threatened to destroy the town, and steamers and assistance were sent from Mauch Chunk. The firemen went to work immediately upon their arrival, and about 10 o'clock the flames were gotten under control.

There are several conflicting reports as to who is to blame for the collision. There is a signal here, and it was the duty of the hind brakeman to signal the oil train, which was at present running irregularly. Engineer John Watmere and Fireman Wm. Mosser assert that the signal was not turned so as to signal them back, and several citizens confirm their statement. Even if they had been signalled it would have been impossible to stop the train, which was a heavy one, running down grade. Both Watmere and Mosser were slightly injured by jumping from their engines before the collision. The loss which cannot be estimated at present will be heavy. The names of the killed and burned are as follows: Wm. Shoemaker, killed; Daniel Rebu, Ed. Siebert, Geo. Jones, John Kehner, Aaron Snyder, Wm. Kain, Joseph Goldberg, John Rohrbach, Love Hughes, Samuel Marshall, and Arthur Williams, burned and wounded, four or five of whom are not expected to recover. Since the first explosion there has been two others, neither of which have done any considerable damage.

Ex. Governor Moses, of South Carolina has been arrested in New York for forgery. He languishes in a prison cell waiting for bail.

Doctors Gave Him Up.

'Is it possible that Mr. Godfrey is up and at work and cured by so simple a remedy?' 'I assure that it is true that he is entirely cured and with nothing but Hop Bitters and only ten days ago his doctors gave up and said he must die!

'Well-a-day! If that is so, I will go this minute and get some for my poor George. I know hops are good.'

A timely dose of Schenck's Mandrake Pills is sure to prevent an attack of billiousness, when a short neglect of the warning symptoms may develop a serious case of fever, either billious, intermittent or typhoid.

Schenck's Mandrake Pills remove all causes of billousness, promptly start the secretions of the liver, and give a healthy tone to the entire system. It is no ordinary discovery in medical science to have found a harmless cure for this stubborn complaint, which accomplishes all the results heretofore produced by a free use of calomel, a mineral justly dreaded by mankind, and acknowledged to be destructive in the extreme to the human system. That the properties of certain vegetables comprise all the virtues of calomel without its injurious qualities, is now an admitted fact, rendered indisputable by scientific tests. Those who use the Mandrake Pills will be fully satisfied that the best medicines are those provided by nature in the common roots and herbs of the fields.

These pills open the bowels and correct all billious derangements without salivation or any of the injurious effects of calomel or other poisons. The secretion of bile is regulated as will be seen by the altered color of the stools, the disappearance of the sallow complexion and the cleansing of the tongue.

Ample directions for use accompany each box of pills. Prepared only by J. H. Schenck & Son, at their principal office, cor. Sixth and Arch streets, Philadelphia. Price 25 cents per box.

For sale by all druggists and dealers.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Gov. of Pa. on the 1st day of April, 1878, to obtain a charter incorporating an association to be known as "The Catawissa Masonic Association," the object of which shall be the maintenance of a society for beneficial or protective purposes to its members from funds collected therein.

GEO. S. GILBERT,
J. B. SUTTLE,
I. S. MONROE,
G. W. REIFSNYDER,
S. D. HARTMAN,
A. H. SHARPLESS,
C. B. BROCKWAY.

April 12, 1878-3w

BRIDGE LETTING.

A covered wooden arch bridge 95 feet between abutments to be built over Catawissa creek, at Mainville, will be let at Mainville on Tuesday April 23d, 1878, between 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. of said day. Roadway to be of 14 feet long plank. Stone work to be according to plan and measurement. Wood and stone work to be let together or separate as we may think best. Plans and specifications can be seen at office or on the premises on day of letting.

SILAS W. MCHENRY, } Commission'rs
JOHN SHRINER, }
JOSEPH E. SANDS, } Columbia co.

Attest:—WM. KNICKERBAUM, Clerk.
Commissioners' office, Bloomsburg April 12, '78-3w

NOTICE.

The persons for and on whose account the railroad, property and franchises of the Danville, Hazleton and Wilkesbarre Railroad Company were purchased at a sale of the same, made at Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia Pa., on the 30th day of March A. D. 1878, will meet on Wednesday May 1st, 1878 at 10 o'clock a. m. at the office of John G. Freeze, attorney at law in the Town of Bloomsburg, in said county of Columbia, Pa., to organize a new corporation by electing a President and Board of Directors, to adopt a corporate name and common seal; to determine the amount of the capital stock thereof and issue certificates therefor; to issue bonds and secure the same by mortgage or mortgages, and to transact any other business requisite or expedient to be done pursuant to the act of assembly, in such case made and provided.

ISAAC BYER,
Chairman.

Bloomsburg, Pa. April 5th, '78

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STATEMENT

Showing the indebtedness, etc., of the Town of Bloomsburg, for the year ending March 31st, 1878, made in accordance with the act of Assembly of 12 April, 1875, "entitled "A supplement to an Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof." Prepared and published by the corporate authorities of said town.

FUNDED DEBT.

Bond due October 1, 1877	$500 00
Int. on same from October 1, 1877	7 50
Bond due August 1, 1878	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due October 1, 1878	500 00
Int. on same from April 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due February 1, 1879	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due August 1, 1879	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due October 1, 1879	500 00
Int. on same from April 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due February 1, 1880	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due August 1, 1880	700 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	10 50
Bond due February 1, 1881	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due August 1, 1881	800 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	12 00
Bond due February 1, 1882	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due August 1, 1882	800 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	12 00
Bond due February 1, 1883	700 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	10 50
Bond due August 1, 1883	800 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	12 00
Bond due February 1, 1884	700 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	10 50
Bond due August 1, 1884	800 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	12 00
Bond due February 1, 1885	700 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	10 50
Bond due August 1, 1885	800 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	12 00
Bond due February 1, 1886	700 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	10 50
Bond due August 1, 1886	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due February 1, 1887	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due August 1, 1887	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
Bond due February 1, 1888	500 00
Int. on same from February 1, 1878	7 50
	$14,500 00

The interest on those due in October is payable yearly; on all the others half-yearly.

FLOATING DEBT.

Orders of 1875 outstanding	$ 5 62
Orders of 1876 outstanding	10 52
Orders of 1877 out-standing	337 60
	$353 74
Total indebtedness	$14,853 74

ASSETS.

Tax uncollected on dup licate of 1877	$188 17
Due from sundry persons contribution assessed on the opening of streets	305 50
Due from sundry persons on account	166 85
Cash in hands of Treasurer	119 24
	$779 66

VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY THEREIN.

Real property	$650,890 00
Personal property	51,745 00
	$702,635 00
Trades and occupations	96,980 00
Total valuation	$829,615 00

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.
F. P. Billmeyer, Treasurer for 1877.

DR.

April, To am't. received from W. B. Koons, Treasurer for 1876, as per account or said Koons	$162 01
May 17, To am't. from M. C. Woodward, collector for 1876-7, as per receipt	84 33
May 31, To am't from M. Wynkoop, collector for 1874, as per receipt	59 99
May 31, To am't. proceeds of sale of town bonds, issue of May 9, 1877	5,000 00
June 9, To am't. assessment on tax roll of 1877	7,556 69
July 6, To am't from Jno. Shuman damage to street lamp	1 99
July 6, To am't. from Isaac Appleman damage to street lamp	3 98
Sept. 6, To am't. from D. Stroup on act. Oct. 13, To am't. from O. A. Jacoby cost of side-walk laid by the town on premises of Hoffman heirs	4 00
March 4, To am't. from M. Wynkoop, collector for 1874, balance due on duplicate	27 87
March 6, To am't. from C. G. Barkley Esq., to-wit:	15
Iron street as essment of contribution collected from S. C. Shive	$11 16
To am't. from Enoch Cadman	5 80
" " A. J. Evans	11 60
" " M. K. Appleman	5 80
To Second St., from J. M. Barton	40 00
	74 36
Less com. allowed for collection	8 37
	65 99
To am't. from Commissioners of Columbia co. on account police expenses	14 50
To am't. from M. C. Woodward, collector of taxes for 1876-7, as per receipts, beginning September 29, 1877 and ending with January 31, 1878; see account of M. C. Woodward	3,113 75
March 26, To am't. from D. Dowenberg President of council, fines and licenses during the year	22 40
March 26, To am't. from D. Lowenberg paid by Commissioners of Columbia co. on account police services prior to and during the execution of Hester, Tuley and McHugh	45 00
To cash from E. B. Bidleman, collector for 1875	9 61
	$16,181 66

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1877, By am't. of duplicate of 1877, placed in hands of M. C. Woodward for collection being amount tax uncollected by Treasurer	$3,409 95
By town bonds and interest on same paid, viz:	
May 17, Bond No. 9, second issue, balance of principal sum and interest in full	235 31
May 17, By bond No. 2, park, principal sum	$500 00
Interest paid with bond	18 83 518 83
May 17, By bond No. 2, second issue principal sum	686 50
Interest paid with bond	5 26 691 76
May 19, By bond No. 3, 'park,' principal sum	500 00
Interest paid with bond	19 66 519 66
May 19, By bond No. 1, 'park,' principal sum	500 00
Interest paid with bond	19 92 519 92
Aug. 2, By bond No. 15, (coupon bond,) principal sum	200 00
" by bond No. 16 (coupon bond principal sum	200 00
Oct. 1, By bond No. 17 (coupon bond) principal sum	100 00
Oct. 1, By bond No. 1, 'second issue,' principal sum	500 00
Interest paid with bond	15 00 515 00
1878, Feb. 2, By bond No. 18, (coupon bond) principal sum	200 00
Feb. 2, By bond No. 19, (coupon bond) principal sum	200 00
By coupons to Town bonds, paid during the year	762 71
Feb 24, By amount paid State Treasurer, tax on Town bonds, for 1877	42 46
By amount orders paid during the year viz:	
Orders of 1875	66 57
Orders of 1876	1705 08
Orders of 1877	5679 93 7741 58
By commission on $3,409 95 per cent	155 20
By commission on $30 00 on 1 per cent	50 00 205 24
By balance cash in hand	119 24
	$16,181 66

Statement of receipts and expenditures of the Town of Bloomsburg for the year 1877.

RECEIPTS.

Amount from W. B. Koons late Treasurer	$ 162 01
Amount from M. Wynkoop, collector for 1874	60 14
Amount from M. C. Woodward collector for 1876	162 21
Amount from E. B. Bidleman collector for 1875	9 61
Amount from D. Stroup on account	4 00
" " John Shuman	1 99
" " Isaac Appleman	3 98
" " O. A. Jacoby	27 87
" " Commissioners Columbia county	5 9 50
" " contributions assessed on street openings	75 39
" " fines and licenses collected by D. Lowenberg President of council	22 40
" " collected on tax assessment of 1877	7,169 61
" " proceeds of Town bonds May 9, 1877	5,000 00
	$12,771 71

EXPENDITURES.

HIGHWAYS.

Paid O. A. Jacoby for crossings and for stone for culvert on East street and culvert on new road near Traub's	$ 227 92
E. Jacoby, Street commissioner for services	448 36
For labor, teams and repair to tools	2,688 41
	$3,334 64
Rent fire engine house and room	45 00
Printer bills	82 71
Rent of Pound and lock-up	60 00
Costs in Second street opening	45 00
For stove and coal for lock-up	13 14
For police services	697 5
For engineering on highways	29 50
High Constable	125 00
For gas for street lamps	944 71
Damage and costs in iron street opening	112 50
John Laybock, auditor for 1876	5 00
H. U. Paxtonson, " "	5 00
C. M. Vandersloe " "	5 00
John K. Girton for removing the dead from old Presbyterian burial ground	75 00
Rosemont Cemetery Company for burial lot for dead removed as above	93 45
W. H. Jacoby, recording deed for burial lot	2 00
R. F. Zarr, costs in suit vs. C. Robbins	2 75
Geo. A. Clark, blank books and stationery	6 98
J. J. Browe, rent of council room and administering oaths	56 75
C. G. Barkley, Esq., solicitor to Town council	102 00
John M. Clark Esq., District Attorney expenses investigating incendiary fires	25 00
Geo. Hendrick, horse hire at road view	1 50
W. Wirt, secretary	220 00
Interest on bonds paid by Townorders	125 00
Amount orders of 1876 paid	53 79
" orders of 1876 paid	1,807 93
" Town bonds paid	3,821 00
" coupons to same paid	762 71
" interest with bonds paid	70 38
" Commission allowed treasurer	205 24
" in hands of treasurer	119 24
	$13,109 31
Deduct unpaid orders of 1877	337 60
	$12,771 71

DAVID LOWENBERG,
President of Town Council.

Attest: WESLEY WIRT, Sec'y.

The undersigned auditors of the Town of Bloomsburg, do hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and statements and find them correct, and do approve the same.

H. C. HARTMAN, }
E. M. TEWKSBURY, } Auditors.
JOHN LAYCOCK, }

April 5, 1878—

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I purchased of C. B. Freas in Fishing Creek township, on Wednesday, April 3, 1878 the following personal property: 1 bay horse, 1 sorrel colt, 1 red cow, 1 red heifer 2 shoats, 1 truck wagon, 1 one horse sled, 1 buckboard, 1 side hill plow, 1 cultivator, 3 beds and bedding, 56 yards of carpet, 4 sets of chairs, 1 rocking chair, 1 bureau, 1 dining table 1 cupboard, 1 cooking stove, 4 sets of harness. And I have loaned the same to the said C. B. Freas during my pleasure and hereby caution all persons not to interfere with the same.

SAMUEL FREAS.

Greenwood, April 12, 1878—2w.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHEAP

KANSAS LANDS!!

We own and control the Railway Lands of TREGO COUNTY, KANSAS, about equally divided by the Kansas Pacific Railway, which we are selling at from $2.5 to $5.00 per acre, on easy terms of payment. These lands are of the very best quality, and are located in the best winter wheat and stock growing district of the United States. Alternate sections of Government land can be taken as homesteads by actual settlers. Members of our firm reside at Wa-keeney, and will show lands at all times. A pamphlet giving full information of soil, climate, water supply, rainfall, &c., will be sent free on request. Address,

Warren, Keeney & Co.,
106 Dearborn St., Chicago,
Or Wa-Keeney, Trego Co., Kansas.

April 12 3m.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House Bloomsburg, at one o'clock p. m. on

Monday May 6th, 1878.

All that certain lot or parcel of ground situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by land of M. J. Edwards and Sol. Ademan, on the east by Alex. Lockard, M. V. B. Adams and Huntington road, on the south by land of Adam Deiterick and Sol. H. Bower, on the west by Susquehanna and Tioga Turnpike, containing twenty-seven and a half acres, more or less, on which is erected a frame house, barn and out-buildings, good orchard, well watered.

ALSO,

One other tract of land in same township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the west by lands of George Miller and Stephen Michael, on the south by road leading to Evansville, on the east by Susquehanna and Tioga Turnpike, containing ninety acres more or less, on which are erected a frame bank barn frame house and out-buildings good orchard, well watered.

ALSO,

One other piece or parcel of land in same township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: On the east by lands of Hannah Sittler, on the south by land of Isaac Bower, on the west by land of William Sittler, on the north by ——— containing forty-seven acres more or less, good orchard, well watered.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of J. C. Smith.

ALSO,

All that certain place or parcel of ground situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by land of William Freas, on the east by land of George Evans, on the south by land of Mosteller and Kiechner, and on the west by lands of Reece Eck, containing one hundred acres more or less, on which are erected a frame dwelling house, barn and out-buildings.

ALSO,

All that certain lot of ground situate in the village of Light Street, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by public road, on the west by an alley, on the south by H. Kiechner, and on the east by Main street, on which is erected a dwelling house.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Charles Bachman.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Mifflin township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by lands of John Yohe, on the east by lands of Mrs. Schreck and others, on the west by lands of Horace Schweppenheiser and John Aten, and on the south by land of George Nungesser, containing ninety acres more or less, on which are erected a dwelling house, barn, and other out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Abraham Schweppenheiser.

ALSO,

The following real estate situate in the Borough of Centralia, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described at follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by an alley, east by land of Jno. Bullock, south by Centre street and west by an alley, being twenty-five feet frontand 100 and forty feet deep, where on is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and a stable.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Abraham Kreischer.

ALSO,

All that certain lot of ground situate in Locust township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by lands of Henry Knapp, on the east by lands of Henry Knapp, on the south by lands of Michael Stine, and on the west by lands of Peter Mowery, containing one hundred and four acres more or less on which are erected a brick dwelling house, barn and other out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of A. S. Knittle.

ALSO,

All that certain piece or parcel of ground, situate in Mifflin township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the west by land of Mary Bittenbender, on the north by land of Isaac Andrews, on the east by land of E. Lutz, and on the south by land of John Michael's heirs, containing thirty-four acres.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Jacob Bittenbender.

ALSO,

All that certain lot and piece of land situate in Beaver township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone on line of Danville, Haz eton & Wilkesbarre railroad, thence by land of Peter Hawk, deceased, north twenty and one-fourth perches to a stone, thence by a private road of said Peter Hawk, deceased, north eighty degrees east twenty-two per hes to a stone in public road leading from Beaver Valley to Millmaville thence along said road south three and a half degrees east sixteen perches to the aforesaid rail road, thence along said rail road south sixty-nine and a half degrees, west twenty-four perches to the place of beginning, containing two acres and eighty perches strict measure on which are erected a dwelling house and out-buildings.

ALSO,

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Mifflin township, county and state aforesaid, bounded as follows: Beginning at the mountain survey at a post north twenty-five degrees, west one hundred and twenty-five perches to a pine, thence by surveyed land south seventy-three degrees west two hundred and thirty perches to a white oak, south six degrees, east seventy perches to a black oak, thence south twenty-eight degrees west thirteen and a half perches to a pine south seventeen degrees west seventy-three perches to a white oak south sixty-one and a half degrees east forty-four perches to a stone north fifty-six perches to a pine thence north sixty-five degrees east two hundred and forty perches to a post, the place of beginning containing two hundred and twenty-nine acres more or less

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Conrad Bredbender.

ALSO,

On all that certain piece or parcel of ground, situate partly in Shamokin township, Northumberland county, Pennsylvania, and partly in Franklin township, Columbia county and state aforesaid, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the west by land of Gideon Leby and land of Samuel Reader on the north by land of William Rohrbach, on the east by Little Roaringcreek, and on the south by land of Andrew Knoble, containing eighty acres more or less on which are erected a frame dwelling house, barn and out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of David Reeder.

ALSO,

All that certain piece or parcel of ground situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: On the north by land of Henry Knapp, on the south by lands of Henry Knapp, on the east by lands of Michael Stine, and on the west by lands of Peter Mowery, containing one hundred and four acres more or less on which are erected a brick dwelling house, barn and other out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Jonathan W. Eck.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of land situate in Catawissa township, Columbia county and State of Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the west by lands of E. M. Tewksbury and Adam Fetterolf, south by lands of James Kostenbauder and ——— Rider formerly Kostenbauder, east by lands of Glossmeyer tract, Jacob Boss and others and north by lands of E. M. Tewksbury, school house lot and E. D. Kern, containing one hundred and fourteen a res more less, on which are erected a dwelling house, barn and out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Augustus Strausser.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by land of Alexander Lockard and others, on the east by land of S. F. Headly, deceased, on the west by land of John Collins and on the south by public road containing fifty-six acres more or less, on which are erected a frame dwelling house, barn and out-buildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Joseph Tinsley.

TERMS—Cash on day of sale.

JOHN W. HOFFMAN,
April 12 '78-3t Sheriff.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHEAP

KANSAS LANDS!!

We own and control the Railway lands of Trego County, Kansas, about equally divided by the Kansas Pacific Railway, which we are selling at an average of $2 25 per acre on easy terms of payment. Alternate sections of Government lands can be taken as homesteads by actual settlers.

These lands lie in the Great Limestone Belt of Central Kansas, the best winter wheat producing district of the United States, yielding from 20 to 35 **Bushels per Acre.**

The average yearly rainfall in this county is nearly 33 inches per annum, one-third greater than in the much-extolled Arkansas Valley, which has a yearly rainfall of less than 23 inches per annum in the same longitude.

Stock Raising and Wool Growing are very Remunerative. The winters are short and mild. Stock will live all the year on grass. Living streams and Springs are numerous. Pure water is found in wells from 20 to 60 feet deep. The **Healthiest Climate** in the World! No fever and ague there. No muddy or impassable roads. Plenty of lime building stone, lime and sand. These lands are being rapidly settled by the best class of Northern and Eastern people, and will so appreciate in value by the improvements now being made as to make their purchase at present prices one the very best investments that can be made, aside from the profits to be derived from their cultivation. Members of our firm reside in Wa-Keeney, and will show lands at any time. A pamphlet, giving full information in regard to soil, climate, water supply, &c., will be sent free on request. Address

Warren Keeney & Co.,
106 Dearborn St., Chicago,
Or Wa-Keeney, Trego Co., Kansas.

Treasurer's Sale of Unseated Lands in Columbia County, Pa.

By virtue of sundry acts of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relating to the sale of seated and unseated lands in the County of Columbia etc, for taxes due and unpaid, I will offer at public sale at the Court House in the Town of Bloomsburg on the second

MONDAY OF JUNE A. D. 1878.

At 10 o'clock a. m., the following described pieces of land, or such part thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of taxes due and unpaid against the same, and continue the same from day to day as the same may be found necessary.

TERMS OF SALE

The amount of taxes and costs must be paid when the land is struck off, or the sale may be avoided and the property put up and resold.

UNSEATED LANDS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, 1878.

No. Acres.	Warrantee or owners	Twp.	Taxes.
340	Amesbakett & Losee	Beaver	155 77
83	Brockway C B	do	4 39
3 lots	Beaver Jesse	do	2 42
1 do	do Charles	do	80
2 do	Boyer T S	do	3 84
6 do	Barnes C R	do	3 24
3 do	Butt & Unger	do	
400	Columbia coal & iron co	do	22 95
400	do do do	do	22 95
400	do do do	do	22 95
380	do do do	do	18 90
400	do do do	do	20 19
1 lot	Carrow Morris	do	1 46
1 do	do do	do	41
5 do	Charles Simon Jr	do	4 03
100	Davis Isaac est bal	do	2 73
91	Fry Geo W	do	3 80
100	Frick B P	do	8 64
3 lots	Flanagan A	do	4 50
3 do	Fry S	do	2 42
209	Graff John	do	42 45
3 lots	Gearheart W in	do	5 75
50	Hoats John	do	3 40
60	Hauck Jonathan	do	12 15
75	Hinderither Jacob & S	do	9 11
53	Hoats Chas & John	do	7 79
100	" "	do	5 40
3 lots	Harner & Chester	do	2 57
8 "	Hoffman E G	do	4 03
3 "	Hunt S G	do	2 42
2 "	Hudly Joseph	do	2 94
3 "	Harner & Chester	do	1 22
3 "	Kesler Frank	do	2 94
1 "	Klein A	do	1 46
3 "	Larence W K	do	5 75
2 "	Lewis Prank	do	2 02
2 "	Hoagland Wm M	do	4 60
3 "	Holmes Thomas	do	1 38
3 "	Hoagland Wm M	do	22 41
2 "	Kline & Reinbold	do	23 78
1 "	Keller widow	do	8 09
1 "	Keller Rich J P & Alysarria	do	9 67
2 "	Langon Pat	do	15 08
12 "	Lehigh & Mahanoy R R Co	do	18 61
1 "	Marks Lloyd	do	2 42
1 "	"	do	7 54
1 "	Machen Thomas	do	8 09
1 "	Mckinney Obas	do	41
1 "	McHugh James	do	4 43
2 "	Moore John	do	80
2 "	McGrearty Mrs	do	8 03
2 "	Parks	do	7 48
1 "	Quinn Pat	do	8 80
2 "	Sweet & Terry	do	19 73
1 "	Vanburen Mrs S E	do	5 67
12 "	Vanburen S E	do	83 30
1 "	Wiltick Fred	do	4 39
22	Adams Enos	Centre	7 26
1	Allabaugh Sam	do	1 46
14	Conner John F	do	1 39
21	" Geo	do	2 03
3	Fritz Wm	do	3 24
1	Good Jacob	do	39
54	Hoffman Wm est	do	3 41
10	Hagenbuch Wm	do	1 46
5	Henrie Joseph	do	48
6	Rambach Daniel	do	90
1 lot	Ashton Jacob	Conyngham	2 73
2 "	Brown Wm	do	5 23
429	Beam Joshua	do	284 86
450	Brown Nathaniel	do	486 15
1 "	Burt Andrew	do	11 43
1 "	Bresin Bernard	do	4 87
1 "	Cook Catherine	do	9 19
2 "	"	do	38 40
2 "	Calahan Dan	do	2 35
2 "	Donahoe Cornelius	do	2 94
1 "	Davis Jno	do	1 95
1 "	George Jerry	do	1 95
1 "	Gallagher Frank	do	1 95
114	Hunson Jno	do	64 90
1 "	Fonebach Ed	do	1 46
1 "	Joyce Peter	do

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1878

Rail Road Time Table.

LACKAWANNA & BLOOMSBURG RAIL ROAD

	NORTH.	SOUTH.
Accommodation Train,	6.45 A. M.	7.09 A. M.
Mail Train	7.38 A. M	4.49 P. M
Express Train	1.50 P. M.	11.57 A. M
" "	6.56 P. M.	

CATAWISSA RAIL ROAD.

	NORTH.	SOUTH
Accommodation Train	6.38 A. M.	7.37 P. M.
Regular Express	4.06 P. M.	11.33 A. M.

Through cars on Express train either to New York or Philadelphia. Accommodation train runs between Catawissa and Williamsport.

List of causes and jurors for May Term appear in another column.

The Orangeville Academy reopens, Monday, April 15.

M. C. Woodward and E. B. Bidleman refuse to serve on the police force.

A railroad ticket to Chicago and back for sale at this office very cheap. Good until December 31st 1878. tf

J. B. Robison and L. E. Waller Esqs., have been appointed Assignees of Casper I. Thomas, for the benefit of creditors.

The communication from Slabtown has been thrown in the waste paper basket. It had no signature.

Catharine Abbott, a highly respected lady of this place, died last Tuesday aged about 77 years. She was an eminently pious woman and was loved by all who knew her.

B. F. Fruit and family of Hazleton, have changed their residence to Bloomsburg, and moved into the McKelvy house on Main and Market streets.

In stating that the School Directors meet to elect a County Superintendent on First Monday of May—the 7th,—we were in error. The election takes place on Tuesday the 7th.

MUSICAL COLLEGE.—Spring session of six weeks begins on Thursday, May 2d, 1878.
Freeburg Snyder Co. Pa.
March 29 4w.

Rev. Prof. W. E. Krebs has accepted a call from the Reformed congregation of this place, and will enter upon the duties of his pastoral on the 1st of May.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is fast taking the place of all the old fashioned Cough remedies. It never fails to relieve the most violent cold, and for throat diseases it is invaluable. Price 25 cents.

NOTICE TO COLLECTORS.—Collectors of county taxes in arrear, are hereby notified that the same must be settled during May Court.
H. W. MCREYNOLDS, Treas.
April 5-4w

Edward Jacoby, son of our townsman Enos Jacoby, has completed his course in Denistry, and removed to Bangor, Pa., where he has established himself in the practice of his profession. We wish him success.

R. M. Tubbs of the Mountain *Echo* made us a short call last Tuesday. Mr. Tubbs has made his paper a success. It is spicy and interesting always, and is one of the exchanges that we read carefully every week.

From the number of new subscribers recently received at this office, we judge that Democrats are beginning to understand that the COLUMBIAN is the only Democratic paper in the county that is worthy of confidence.

It is not in accord with the divine order and sweep of things that life should have no difficulties which an honest, determined man, with heaven's help, cannot surmount. It was the recollection of this fact that led to the perfection of Dr. Coxe's Wild Cherry and Seneka.

We have received a piece of music called *Barringer Schottische* composed by Mrs. H. K. Miller. It is pretty and not difficult and will be sent to any address on receipt of 30 cents by the publisher, J. C. Beckel, S. W. Corner 11th & Market Sts. Philadelphia.

The silverware delivered by the National Silver-Plating Co. No. 704 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, is giving entire satisfaction. All orders are promptly filled, and no one need hesitate about sending them money.—*Lutheran Observer.*
March 15 4w.

The merciful man is merciful to his beast. Horses and Cattle are sources of profit, therefore, should be well cared for. By the timely use of Foutz's Celebrated Horse and Cattle Powders, the lives of many valuable animals will be saved.

The Commissions of the Justices of the Peace elected at the last election are in the hands of the Register and Recorder. By the Act of 22nd March 1877, all Justices of the Peace whose terms of office under former laws would expire prior to the first Monday of May are continued in office until that date.

Prejudice often rules in the physical treatment of Babies. They are allowed to suffer and scream with pain from Colic, Flatulence, Bowel Disorders, etc., when some simple, reliable and safe remedy, as Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, would give almost immediate relief and perfect ease to the little sufferer. Price 25 cents per bottle.

THE GREATEST BLESSING.—A simple, pure, harmless remedy, that cures every time, and prevents disease by keeping the blood pure, stomach regular, kidneys and liver active, is the greatest blessing ever conferred upon mankind. Hop Bitters is that remedy, and its proprietors are being blessed by thousands who have been saved and cured by it, Will you try it. See other column.

M. C. Woodward who has served the town for many years as a peace officer, and who is entitled to more credit than any other man for having broken up rowdyism and disorder, was rejected by the new Town Council as High Constable, and Chief of Police. As the appointments were made to reward services at the polls, and not with regard to qualifications, this action of the council is not surprising.

Necks and Arms of Snowy Whiteness, forms fair as the lilly, are the pleasing endowments conferred by Glen's Sulphur Soap. A healthful substitute for the poisonous cosmetic formerly in vogue.

The tints produced by Hill's Instantaneous Hair Dye are like those of Nature.
March 22, 4w.

A terrible accident occured last Tuesday morning at the mine on the farm of D. Yocum just below town. Two brothers George and John Samuels, and a third man named Francis Melick were preparing a blast, and when inserting the needle to make ready for the fuse the charge exploded. John Samuels was badly cut about the head and his eyes were burned with powder. Melick escaped with comparatively slight injuries, receiving only some bruises about the body. George Samuels was terribly lacerated; the flesh was torn from his face, and it is feared he has lost the sight of both eyes. He was married only a few weeks ago, and this calamity has come upon him in the spring of life.

The spring term of the Normal School opens with a decided gain in numbers over those of the previous terms, in face of the fact that the public schools do not close till June and economy is the order of the day with all parents.

Croaking is not confined to the Frog Ponds. At this season almost everybody is hoarse. The bleating of distressed lungs is heard everywhere. Why is this, when *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* will cure any cough, cold or horaseness in 48 hours? Sold by all Druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute.
March 15.

Owing to the storm of Thursday the Grand Opening of the City Hotel was not as largely attended as it otherwise would have been; nevertheless on Saturday evening a large number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Girton assembled, and delighted themselves in dancing for a time and then partook of a sumptuous repast prepared by the landlady, and all present say it could not be excelled.

(The above local was prepared for last week, but was omitted by mistake.)

IMPORTANT POSTAL ORDER.—Heretofore nothing but a business card was permitted upon a wrapper of printed matter. The Postmaster General has now given instructions that any matter in print which may be transmitted within an enclosure may also be transmitted at the same rate if printed upon the wrapper or envelope. This includes business cards, directions for returning, and any printed matter on the outside of a wrapper or envelope. Postmasters, however, are instructed not to regard requests for the return of such matter unless stamps to pay the return postage are presented.

So we *have* a new party at last. The putative fathers of the infant are Thos. E. Geddis President, J. K. Lockard Secretary, and E. E. Orvis, A. C. Smith, John Sterner, Executive Committee. As the organization is secret, we cannot inform our readers as to details. From a circular before us we learn that a County Convention has been called to meet here on Tuesday, April 16th. As a matter of interest to Democrats it may be as well to state that under the Democratic rules no man can vote at our Delegate elections who has not supported the Democratic party at the elections of the previous year; and all who go into this lop sided movement cut loose from the Democratic party. Whilst some of our friends believe in many of the principles of the "Nationals," the reforms they desire can best be attained by sticking to the party, and not by open or secret affiliation with Republicans and demagogues.

IT SUSTAINS ITS REPUTATION.

For nearly a quarter of a century it has been acknowledged that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy has no equal in speedily and permanently curing "cold in the head" and all catarrhal affections of the nasal cavities. Its immense sale and great popularity are dependent upon and entirely due to its merits and superority over all other similar preparations. Very many physicians, having thoroughly tested it, are now prescribing it in their practice,

HALBURTON, Ont., January 1st, 1877.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—For years I suffered with chronic catarrh. Last winter it became more severe, seriously affecting my throat and lungs. My stomach and blood were also sadly out of order. I tried many physicians and several advertised remedies, obtaining but temporary or no relief. My general health became worse, so that I despaired of life. Seeing favorable notices of your medicines, I procured one-half dozen bottles of the Golden Medical Discovery and a supply of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. The Discovery purified my blood and restored my general health, the Catarrh Remedy gave immediate relief, and after a little perseverance, a radical cure was effected.

Thankfully yours,
ROBERT MCCORMICK.

An unexpected gloom has been cast over this office by the sudden death of Benj. F. Kolb, one of our apprentices. He worked until night of Monday, complaining somewhat of a cold and sore throat, but as he did not think this was at all serious and as he neither expressed a desire for any medical attendance, or friendly care during the night, nor was either thought necessary. On retiring rather soon after supper at his boarding place which was with the foreman of the office, he took a dover's powder to produce prespiration and break up the cold. He slept alone during the night and on the morning of Tuesday not replying to the call for breakfast, Mr. Cosper went to his room and found him dead in bed. Dr. Reber was immediately summoned, but it was too late. It is presumed that he had died but a short time before he was found. On Wednesday morning his body was taken to Mifflin and on Thursday he was buried from the residence of his aunt. The printers of the town purchased a silver plate for the coffin and had it very handsomely engraved with a printers' design and

BENJ. F. KOLB,
Died April 9th, 1878,
Aged 19 years and 4 months.

A committee of prtnters from the several offices in town attended the funeral and acted as pall bearers. Ben, as he was familliarly known in the office attended most closely to his duties and by his general demeanor won the esteem af his companions and the family with whom he had his home. His father and mother both died when he was a small boy.—*Republican.*

IN JAIL FOR TAXES.

A MAN AND HIS FAMILY, A WIFE AND SEVEN SMALL CHILDREN, CRYING FOR BREAD.

If anybody can inform us what sense of justice there is in sending a man of family to prison for non-payment of taxes, when he is out of work, has no money and his family are on the verge of starvation, we will be under great obligations to the individual for the enlightenment. Last Tuesday Barney Gormley, of Mahanoy Plane, was sent to jail by Robert Nelson, the Gilberton borough tax collector, for non-payment of taxes, and in consequence thereof his wife Alice with her seven small children immediately became a charge upon the county. Thursday 'Squire Kellagher, director of the poor, called on the Gormley family and saw their distress. He immediately arranged with a store keeper to have their pressing needs supplied until next Monday when an order for further relief will be granted. The children are named James, Susan, Hugh, Charlie, Barney, John and Maggie, and aged respectfully fourteen, twelve, ten, eight, six, four and two years. Mr. Kellagher informs us that the oldest boy is no larger than a child of six, and upon him and Hugh this family have to depend for support in the absence of the father. There being no work now these little working children are bringing nothing into the house, and the family must be dependent upon the county alms house to keep from starving. The father languished in jail all week, but we understand the Board of Commissioners were to-day considering the propriety of discharging him. We think they would do well to inform the tax collectors through the county that there is nothing gained by incarcerating a man of family for non-payment of taxes. The public are getting tired of such foolishness, and the sooner the Commissioners put a stop to it the better. Even if a man cannot pay his taxes, being out of work a very common thing just now, if he is allowed his liberty he can pick up a dollar by odd jobs now and then and keep his little ones from crying for bread and finally becoming the objects of the county's charity for which other people who do pay taxes must suffer.—*Chronicle.*

Everybody admits that E. Jacoby was the most competent street commissioner the town ever had. It will be observed by the proceedings of the Town Council that Messrs. Herring, Evans, Sharpless and Rabb voted to fix the compensation of street commissioners at $1.75 a day, and elected S. C. Shive to that position, Messrs. Holmes, Drinker and Elwell voted to fix the pay at $1 50, and supported E. Jacoby by their votes. Mr. Jacoby would have accepted at $1.50 a day. This is economy with a vengeance.

An accident occured at the new jail last week onThursday afternoon. Two men named Nicholas were on a scaffold pointing the outside walls, when E R. Rollins of the firm of Rollins & Holmes went on the scaffold with them to make some measurements. The weight was too much and the foot of the scaffold slipped out, precipitating the three to the ground, about 20 feet below. Mr. Rollins had his head cut, several teeth knocked out, and some ribs broken. The other two were considerably bruised but not dangerously. Mr. Rollins is slowly improving.

TOWN COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

April 3rd 1878, seven o'clock p. m., Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present Mr. Herring, President, and all the members. The minutes of the meeting held on the 1st inst., for the purpose of organization, were read and approved. A motion was made by Mr. Elwell and Mr. Drinker that when the council adjourn, it adjourn to meet to-morrow evening (4th inst.) at 7 o'clock, which was agreed to. Mr. Drinker of the committee appointed at the meeting of the 27th ult., to whom was referred the subject of granting a building permit to M. Wynkoop, reported that the building for which a permit was asked is nearly up, and that the committee had no recommendation to make to the council as to the propriety of granting a permit, and Mr. Drinker made a motion, seconded by Mr. Evans that the permit be granted. The question being put as to whether a permit should be granted it was decided in the affirmative.

It was decided to retain the room used at present as a council chamber for the next year at a rental of $40.

April 4th 1878, council met at 7 p. m. Present Mr. Herring, President, and all the members. After reading the minutes of previous meeting, the president announced that the first business in order was the fixing of compensation and appointment of officers for the ensuing year. On motion of Mr. Rabb and Mr. Evans the salary of Secretary was fixed at $180, and Wesley Wirt was unanimously elected Secretary. A motion was made by Mr. Rabb and seconded by Mr. Sharpless that the compensation of Treasurer be one and a half per cent. Mr. Elwell moved to amend by making the compensation one per cent. on money collected, and one-half of one per cent. on money received from sale of Town bonds. Mr. Holmes seconded the amendment, and a vote was taken upon the amendment, which was carried. Mr. Drinker named F. P. Billmyer for Town Treasurer, Mr. Rabb named John Laycock, and several others Mr. Sharpless named T. J. Vanderslice. A vote being taken, Evans, Sharpless, Rabb and Herring voted for Vanderslice, and Holmes, Drinker and Elwell for Billmyer, 4 to 3.

The retaining fee of Town Solicitor was fixed at $50. For Soliciter Mr. Drinker named C. G. Barkley, Mr. Sharpless named J. B. Robison, Mr. Rabb named H. C. Smith. A vote was taken, when Evans, Sharpless, Rabb and Herring voted for Robison. and Drinker, Holmes and Elwell voted for Barkley, and Mr. Robison was declared elected, 4 to 3.

Mr. Elwell moved that the compensation of Street Commissioner be one dollar per day, Mr. Drinker seconded the motion. Mr. Rabb and Mr. Sharpless moved that the motion be amended by making the pay $1.75 per day. A vote was taken when Rabb, Sharpless and Herring voted for the amendment, Holmes, Elwell, Drinker and Evans voted nay. So the amendment was not agreed to. Mr. Drinker amended the original motion by making the pay $1.50 per day. Mr. Rabb and Sharpless again moved to amend by making it $1.75. The yeas and nays were called, when Evans, Rabb, Sharpless and Herring voted yea, Holmes, Drinker and Elwell voted nay, 4 to 3. So the pay was fixed at $1.75.

For Street Commissioner Mr. Rabb named S. C. Shive, Mr. Elwell named Peter Billmyer, Mr. Drinker named E. Jacoby, Mr. Herring named J R. Graul. A vote being taken, Evans, Rabb, Sharpless, and Herring voted for Shive, Holmes, Drinker and Elwell voted for Jacoby, 4 to 3. So Shive was elected.

On motion of Mr. Rabb seconded by Elwell the pay of Town Constable was fixed at $100 for the year. For Town Constable, Evans, named James Thomas, Elwell named M. C. Woodward. A vote was taken and Evans, Rabb, Sharpless and Herring voted for Thomas; Holmes, Elwell and Drinker voted for Woodward, 4 to 3. So Thomas was elected.

For Chief of Police, Mr. Rabb named J. C. Sterner, Mr. Elwell named James Thomas. Rabb, Sharpless, Evans and Herring voted for Sterner; Holmes, Drinker, and Elwell voted for Thomas, 4 to 3. So Sterner was elected.

For assistant policemen Mr. Rabb named the following. S. W. Shutt, D. Laycock, lieutenants; M. C. Woodward, N. Pursel, E B. Billeman, T. Hickey, J. Hower, L. Fuller, David Coffman, W. Dietterich, P. S Harman, H. Ort, B. Freas and John Jones. They were appointed.

On motion of Messrs. Elwell and Drinker the bond of Town Treasurer was fixed at $15,000.

A number of bills were then passed upon, and ordered paid.

A petition of citizens living on Second street was presented, asking that that street west of Market, be improved. Petition received and ordered filed.

It being suggested by the president that a reduction in the quantity of gas consumed by the street lamps might be effected by extinguishing the lamps at an earlier hour, on motion of Mr. Holmes and Mr. Sharpless the president appointed Messrs. Holmes, Sharpless and Evans a committee to inquire into the practicability of the reduction and report at next meeting.

The services of night policemen were dispensed with on motion of Rabb and Sharpless.

Mr. Rabb gave notice that he would introduce an ordinance for the repeal of the ordinance No. 21 entitled an ordinance to prevent cattle from running at large in certain parts of the town.

The president was instructed to procure additional badges for the police force.

Notice was given of rates of taxation that would be prepared at next meeting.

Adjourned to meet April 30th 1878 at seven o'clock p. m. unless sooner convened by notice.

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Candidates.

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT,
M. W. NUSS,
of Bloomsburg.

WILLIAM H. SNYDER,
Orange township.

School Directors' Convention meets the 1st Tuesday in May.

(All names inserted in this column as candidates for nomination at the Democratic County Convention must be paid for in advance. And it is hereby agreed that all persons whose names appear here will be governed by the rules and regulations of the Democratic party of Columbia county.)

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER,
GEORGE W. STERNER,
Bloomsburg.

FOR PROTHONOTARY,
DR. J. R. EVANS,
Bloomsburg.

I. K. MILLER,
Bloomsburg.

J. H. MAIZE,
Bloomsburg.

FOR COMMISSIONER,
MOSES SCHLICHER,
Beaver Township.

NATHAN DRIESBACH,
Fishingcreek township.

FOR TREASURER,
ISAIAH BOWER,
Berwick.

It is sad to lose a time honored friend—one who has been by your side in days of prosperity and adversity, in sunshine and in storm. If you would have one that you would neither part with nor distrust, try Dr. Coxe's Wild Cherry and Seneka. If troubled with coughs, colds, hoarseness or sare throat you will greatly profit by it.

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Spring Styles! Spring Sryles!
Just received, the largest stock of cloths and casimeres of the latest style and at the lowest price—to be sold by the yard with trimmings for coat pants or vest. If youwant them made at home buy the goods and have them cut at David Lowenberg's,

Lutz & Sloan have a large assortment of black and colored silks, black and colored Satins cut bias for trimmings, also a full line of fringes and other trimmings.

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Louis Bernhard makes and repairs all kinds of complicated clocks and watches, also fine patent office models and designs made to order.

Lutz & Sloan are selling good calicoes at 5 cents a yard, less by the bolt. Warranted fast colors.

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For cheap nice casimeres for boys wear sold by the yard at David Lowenberg's.

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New and Beautiful Spring Styles.
Hats for the Million. Just received a full line of Hats in all the newest shades in stiff and soft felt for Men, Youths, Boys and children, cheaper than ever at David Lowenberg's.

Lutz & Sloan have received their new stock of spring goods.

A large assortment of first quality only of Silver and silver-plated table Ware, such as spoons, forks, knives, castors, &c., warranted the best at L. Bernhard's jewelry store, Cadman's building.

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Jurors for May Term, 1878.

GRAND JURORS.

Bloom—J. R. Grou, Thomas Webb, Wm. R. Ringrose.
Beaver—Moses Schlicher, Peter Eckroth.
Berwick—John Hill.
Catawissa—Matthias Hartman.
Centralia—John McDonal.
Conyngham—Wm. Goodman, Wm. Chapman.
Fishingcreek—John M. Buckalew.
Greenwood—Ira D. Kline.
Hemlock—Reuben Bogart.
Madison—S. S. Runyon.
Mifflin—Jacob Pifer.
Orange—A. R. Patterson.
Pine—John Gordner.
Scott—Lewis Hess, Wm. Hopper.
Sugarloaf—David Koch, Elijah Albertson, Joseph Larish, Thomas Cole, George Moore.

TRAVERSE JURORS.

FIRST WEEK

Bloom—Jackson Karns, John Lawall, D A. Creasy, Robert C. Neal, William Rabb.
Berwick—S. B. Bower, John Farley, Levi Bredbender.
Benton—Daniel Hartman.
Briarcreek—Emanuel Yost, Lewis Dietterick, L. J. Gahnke.
Catawissa—John Keifer, C. C. Sharpless, Amos Hile.
Centre—A. K. Shuman.
Fishingcreek—John R. Creasey, Samuel Shive, Abram Keiser, Ira J. Richart, Frank A. Hess, Alfred Irwin, J. M. Dewitt.
Franklin—Wm. Stoker.
Greenwood—Samuel Barringer Jacob Wellver.
Locust—Simon Heiwig, Geo. W. Yeager, Henry Gable.
Maine—Wm. Fisher jr.
Madison—Sol. Barnhart.
Mifflin—Charles Wolf.
Montour—Isaac F Yost, James Quick, Chas. C. Eck.
Mt. Pleasant—Peter Hippensteel, Washington Ruckel, Henry Kitchen.
Orange—John Neyhard, Joseph S. Kline, Howard A. Kline, Oliver Covenhoven.
Roaringcreek—M. H. Meyers.
Scott—John Crawford, John Savage, Henry Frane.
Sugarloaf—Joseph Stevens.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on the premises on

TUESDAY, APRIL 30th, 1878,
at 2 o'clock p. m.,

All that certain lot or parcel of ground situate in Slabtown, Locust township Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by land of Isaiah Yeager, on the east by David Yeager, on the south and west by public road containing one acre more or less, on which are erected a frame dwelling and store house and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Lucas Fahringer.

Terms cash.

JOHN W. HOFFMAN,
Sheriff.
april 5, 1878-ts

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House at one o'clock p. m., on

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 1878,

All that tract or parcel of land situate in Scott township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the east by land of John Kelchner, lying between the Pennsylvania canal and the Susquehanna river and running to a point on the west at or near the aqueduct above Espy, containing about seven acres, more or less.

ALSO,

A ll that certain lot of ground situate in the town of Espy, Columbia county Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: On the north by Main street, east by lot of M. C. McCollum, south by an alley and west by Daniel Keefer, being 41¼ feet front, and 173¾ feet in depth, whereon are erected two two-story dwelling houses.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Alonzo C Dodge.

ALSO,

All that certain lot, piece or portion of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg in the county of Columbia, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Fronting on Seventh street on the south fifty feet, on the west by Iron street two hundred feet more or less, on the north by the Delaware Lackawanna and Western Railroad fifty feet, on the east by lot of G. A. Potter two hundred feet more or less to the place of beginning, whereon are erected a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of G. A. Potter and D. J. Waller.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Greenwood township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by land of Elmira Albertson, on the east by land of John Moore, on the south by land of Augustus Stouder and on the west by land of Elmira Albertson, containing 50 acres and 88 perches, on which are erected a frame house, barn and out buildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of G. W. Hoffman.

ALSO,

All that certain lot, piece or portion of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, in the County of Columbia, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Southwardly by seventh street, eastwardly by lot of Pat. Mahon, northwardly by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad and westwardly by lot of said G. A. Potter and D. J. Waller, containing 50 feet front on Seventh street and two hundred feet in depth more or less, whereon is erected a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of G. A. Potter.

ALSO,

All that certain lot of ground situate in Roaringcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by land of Abram Rice, on the south by land of Conrad Housman, on the west by land of Michael Strauser and William Yeager and on the east by land of Ephraim Liby, containing seventy-three acres more or less on which are erected a dwelling house, barn and out-buildings.

ALSO,

One other piece of land bounded on the north by land of Jacob Strauser, on the west by land of Solomon Strauser, on the south by land of Peter Hower and on the east by land of Conrad Housman and William Yeager containing eighteen acres.

ALSO,

One other piece of land bounded on the north by lands of Judge Cox, on the west by land of Solomon Strauser on the south by land of Abram Rice and on the east by land of Abram Rice and Leonard Adams, containing 15 acres.

ALSO,

All that piece or parcel of ground situate in Roaringcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows to-wit: Bounded on the south by lands of Franklin Yocum, on the west by land of Samuel Houck, on the north by land of William Dreisbach, and on the east by land of J. B. Klinger, containing thirty acres more or less, on which are erected a dwelling house and out-buildings.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of David R. Hower.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Pine township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows to-wit: Bounded on the north by lands of Abraham Tittman, on the west by land of Morris Ellis, on the east by land of Abraham Tittman and on the south by land of Morris Ellis, containing 45 acres more or less, on which is erected a plank house.

Seized, taken into execution, and to be sold as the property of Cornelius McKrn.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of land situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county Pennsylvania, described as follows: Bounded on the north by land of Thomas Vannatta, on the west by land of Hannah J. McBride, on the south by Third street and on the east by Iron street, containing 65 feet front more or less and 75 feet in depth more or less, on which are erected a two-story brick dwelling house and out-buildings.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Henry G. Thomas.

ALSO,

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the village of Orangeville in the county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone at the side of a public road on land of John Megargell and running thence across the public road leading through Orangeville along land of O. A. Megargell north fifty-four degrees west nineteen and forty one hundredth perches to a post, in line of land of Benjamin Wertman, thence by land of said Wertman south thirty-five and three-eighth degrees west five and sixteen one hundredth perches to lime stone, thence by land of J. S. Neyard south fifty-four degrees west twelve and twenty one hundredth perches to a post thence south seventy-four and a quarter degrees east eight and forty-six one hundredth perches to a post in line of land of Benjamin Wertman, thence by land of said Wertman south thirty-five and three-eighth degrees west five and sixteen one hundredth perches to lime stone, thence by land of J. S. Neyard south fifty-four degrees west twelve and twenty one hundredth perches to a post thence south seventy-four and a quarter degrees east eight and forty-six one hundredth perches to a post in line of land of John Megargel thence by the same north seventeen and one-fourth degrees, east two and eighteen one hundredth perches to the place of beginning, containing ninety perches of land on which are erected a frame dwelling house, barn and other out-buildings.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of land situate in the township of Orange in said county of Columbia bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post in line of land of D. W. Montgomery and running thence by the same north seventy-five degrees, east twelve and a half perches to a post, thence by lands of Isaac Boone north twenty-three and a half degrees west forty-two and nine-tenth perches to a post, thence by land of John Snyder, south twenty-five degrees west seventeen perches to a post, thence south twenty-three and a half degrees, east thirty perches to the place of beginning, containing two acres and ninety perches of land.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of land situate in Orange township aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone corner of land of Isaac Boone and running thence by land of William Mears north twenty-three degrees, west twenty-two and four-tenth perches, thence by land of John Snyder north twenty-three and a half degrees east eight and six-tenth perches to a post, thence by land of B. Hayman south seventy-eight degrees east eighteen and seven-tenth perches to a pine, thence south eleven and a quarter degrees east fourteen perches to stones, and thence by land of Isaac Boone south fifty-eight degrees, west eighteen perches to the place of beginning, containing two acres and one hundred and thirty-five perches.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of land situate in the township of Orange aforesaid bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post corner of land of Samuel Achenbach and running thence by the same south seventy-one degrees east twelve perches to a post, south eighty degrees, east ten perches to a post, south eighty-six and a half degrees east seven and three-tenth perches to a post, thence north fifteen perches to a post, thence by land of A. Everitt north seventy-two degrees west twenty perches to a post and thence by land of Jacob Good and others north thirty-two degrees west eighteen and five-tenth perches to the place of beginning containing two acres and ninety-two perches on which are erected a frame house, barn and other outbuildings.

ALSO,

All that certain tract or piece of land situate in the township of Centre, Columbia county, State of Pennsylvania, bounded by lands of Aikman E. Lazarus, William Fisher and others, containing five acres and ninety-one perches more or less.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Jacob M. Harman.

Terms cash.

JOHN W. HOFFMAN,
Sheriff.
april 5, 78-ts

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Miscellaneous.

To Ascertain the Weight of Live Cattle

It is often important for those who are not experienced judges by the eye, to have some means beside the scales of ascertaining the weight of cattle while living, and by following these approved directions this can be done within a mere trifle.

Take a string, put it around the breast, stand square, just behind the shoulder blade; measure on a foot rule the feet and inches the animal is in circumference; this is called the girth: then with the string measure from the bone of the tail which plumbs the line with the hinder part of the buttock; direct the line along the back to the fore part of the shoulder-blade; take the dimensions on the foot rule as before, which is the length, and work the figures in the following manner: Girth of the bullock, say six feet 4 inches, length, five feet three inches, which multiplied together makes thirty-one superficial feet; and that multiplied by twenty-three (this number of pounds is allowed to each superficial foot of cattle measuring less than seven and more than five feet in girth,) make 713 pounds. Where the animal measures less than nine feet and more than seven in girth, thirty-one is the number of pounds to each superficial foot. again, suppose a pig or any small beast should measure two feet in girth, and two along the back which multiplied together make four square feet, that multiplied by eleven, the number of pounds allowed each square feet in the girth, make forty-four pounds. Again, suppose a calf, a sheep, etc., should measure four feet six inches in girth, and three feet nine inches in length, which multiplied together, make 15½ square feet, then multiply by sixteen, the number of pounds allowed to cattle measuring less than five feet and more than three in girth, make 265 pounds. The dimensions of the girth and length of back o' cattle, sheep, calves or hogs, may be exactly taken this way as it is at all necessary for any computation or any valuation of stock, and will answer exactly to the four quarters, singing the offal, a sum which every man who can get seven a bit of chalk can easily figure.—*Rural New Yorker.*

Planting Potatoes Early.

The spring, which we may now say is here, promises to be remarkable for earliness. At least it will be remembered for the chance given to all to get work forward a month earlier than usual. It is now the month of March, and all around us, wherever we look, we see farmers busy at work hauling out manure, and in many other ways getting their spring work well in hand. There is now no frost in the ground, and as the water in consequence soon drains away, hauling is easy, and thus it is we see the men and horses busy so early. In this respect, everything being so propitious, there should be very little difficulty for any one to secure a good crop of early potatoes.

There are many who always did favor an early planting of this essential crop, but now that the Colorado beetle has made its injurious work so manifest, it becomes the interest of every one to put in their potatoes at the earliest possible moment, if they wish to save themselves trouble. With the continuance of the present fine weather the ground will be in good working order soon, and there will be but little difficulty, on land which is not low, in getting a large lot of the planting done in the first week in April. The experience of the past year or two will have shown all observers that potatoes planted early are well up and growing before the common enemy, the beetle, appears. Then, too, as it is not the winged insects, but their larvæ, that do the main damage, the potatoes still can grow whilst the egg from the beetles are hatching. These delays, before the larvæ get so numerous to be very troublesome, give the early potatoes an excellent chance, as they are so far forward that but little attention need be given them compared to what the later crops will require. Last year it was the experience of those around us who planted early that two dustings of Paris green were sufficient, whilst later planted ones required a great deal more attention.

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Rules for Teachers.

Be early at school, that your pupils may have a good example.

Be prompt in beginning and in dismissing.

Be slow to promise, but quick to perform.

Let the one rule of your school be "Do right."

Speak kindly, but always firmly.

Always be ready to commend good work and good deportment.

Don't give your pupils long lectures on morality. Short sermons are best appreciated. Practice is better than precept.

Never undertake to teach what you do not understand.

Look carefully after the health of your pupils. Call attention to the dangers of sitting with wet feet, or damp clothing. Instruct pupils with weak eyes to guard them most carefully. Most certainly change the air in the school room several times daily.

Be a strict disciplinarian. Teach self-government; it is the best government for intelligent people.

Teach ideas and not mere words.

Never permit a day to pass without being sure that at least one point has been made.

Arouse within your students a love for their work.

Bees in Sprihg.

As soon as Spring opens, our bees should all be examined by lifting the frames of each hive, and if the stocks are weak, the bees are shut to one side of the hive by means of a division board, so as to keep up the necessary heat for blood-rearing on as many combs as they can cover. As soon as the queen has filled these combs with eggs we spread them apart, inserting an empty comb between those occupied with brood, and in a few days' time the queen will fill this one also; and so we keep on until every available cell is occupied with brood. Thus it will be seen that instead of the queen laying her eggs on the outside of the cluster, she lays them in the centre of brood-nest where they should be. After the hive is full of brood and bees, it does not make so much difference, as the weather is warm and bees are plenty, so that the queen can deposit her eggs anywhere in the hive. As soon as the strongest stocks are full, take a frame of brood just gnawing out, and place it in the weaker ones, giving the strong one an empty comb for the queen to fill again, and so keep on until all are full.

HISTORY OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

MILITARY RECORD.

Drafted Militia—Nine Months Service.
178th *Regiment.*

COMPANY G.

This company was from Montour county, except a few names, and was mustered into service mainly November 4, 1862, and mustered out July 27, 1863, and unless otherwise accounted for, the men were mustered out with the company.

William Y Young Captain, mustered out July 27, 1863.
Thomas Butler, 1st Lieutenant.
Stephen C Vansant, 2d Lieutenant.
Charles D Levan, 1st Sergeant.
John H Leidy, Sergeant.
John S Mahan "
Phineas Haldren "
James S Heddings "
James W Lowry, Corporal.
Thomas P Perry "
Henry D Geiger "
George Haldron "
Thomas M Vansant "
Daniel M Adams "
Jacob J Bardole "
Auten Peter V, Private.
Ande Thomas H "
Albeck Jacob, deserted November 20, 1862.
Butler John S, Private.
Burch Peter jr "
Bombay Daniel "
Beers David "
Biddle James R, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 22, 1862.
Bechtel Jacob, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 22, 1862.
Bechtel Daniel S, discharged on surgeon's certificate, November 14, 1862.
Barber Silas W, discharged, date unknown.
Barber Nicholas, deserted November 21 '62.
Cooper Abraham, Private.
Confer William "
Cox William J "
Confer Philip, died at Yorktown, Virginia, February 7, 1863.
Carr Alexander, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 14, 1862.
Cox Amos, discharged November 15, 1862.
Carr Andrew jr, deserted November 4, 1862.
Cotner Daniel, absent without leave at muster out.
Conway Jesse, deserted November 15, 1862.
Dry Adam, Private.
Derr Thomas "
Derr Hiram "
Degreen Augustus "
Dyer Jacob "
Eyer John "
Evans David, deserted date unknown.
Ginder Jacob, Private.
Gordon Ernst "
Grim John H, deserted November 18, 1862.
Huttenstine J Private.
Herner John "
Harries John "
Heiner William, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 22, 1862.
Hilxert Samuel deserted November 22, 1862
Hartman Lewis, deserted November 21, 1862.
Irvin Wm Private.
Kelly John "
Kester Jeremiah "
Kersteller Leonard "
Kline Isaac "
Kitchen John H, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 22, 1862.
Kirkner Leonard, deserted November 21 1862.
Lashell Wm S Private.
Madden James "
Magonigal Thomas "
Murray Joseph K "
Murtz John "
More George "
Miller Wm B "
Manning Wm L "
Myers James D, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 22, 1862.
Morris Edward M, deserted November 13, 1862.
McCracken James, Private.
McMahan James jr, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 22, 1862.
Richard Hiram, Private.
Ruse Cornelius "
Roads Mahlon "
Stineman Frederich "
Starr John D "
Smith Alexander "
Sweitzer John "
Shiras Bowman D "
Sweitzer Wm W "
Strouse Wm "
Shock Emanuel, discharged November 21, 1862.
Shires Wm, discharged November 17, 1862.
Stecker Moses L, discharged November 17 1862.
Shultz Robert M, deserted November 9, '62.
Swisher Burges, deserted November 20, '62.
Smith David, deserted November 6, 1862.
Thomas Benj F Private.
Taylor Cyrus "
Thomas John "
Tindall Andrew, discharged surgeon's certificate May 2, 1863.
Tanner Henry, jr, deserted November 15, 1862.
Vansickle John A, Private.
Weisner Wm "
Wykoff Wm V "
Wellever Andrew J "
Wanich Amos "
Warner Christian, died at Newport News, Virginia, December 16, 1862.
Weisner Augustus, discharged on surgeon's certificate, November 22, 1862.
Wertman Henry L, discharged on surgeon's certificate November 13, 1863.
Young George W deserted November 25, '62.

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A lighted lamp is taken up a flight of stairs, or raised quickly to place it on the mantel, resulting in an explosion. In these cases the mischief is done by the air movement—either by suddenly checking the draft, or forcing air down the chimney against the flame:

Blowing down the chimney to extinguish a lamp is a frequent cause of explosion.

Lamp explosions have been caused by using a chimney broken off at the top, or one that has a piece broken out, whereby the draft is variable and the flame unsteady.

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Yours truly, L. D. REMICK

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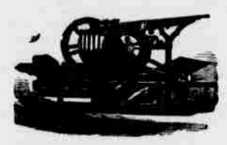

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